

KAYLA COMMUNICATIONS, INC.)
)
-vs-) No. 00-0662
)
ILLINOIS BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY)
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Complaint Seeking Expedited Resolution)
pursuant to Sections 9-101, 9-250, 10-108)
13-514 and 13-515 of the Illinois Public)
Utilities Act.)
)
Springfield, Illinois)
October 18, 2000)

APPEARANCES:

(Appearing on behalf of Complainant -Kayla Communications, Inc., via teleconference)

(Appearing on behalf of Respondent -Illinois
Bell Telephone Company, via teleconference)

1 APPEARANCES: (Cont'd)

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4 Springfield, Illinois 62704

5 (Appearing on behalf of the
6 Telecommunications division, Illinois
7 Commerce Commission Staff)

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11 (Appearing on behalf of the Consumer Services
12 division, Illinois Commerce Commission Staff)

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1 P R O C E E D I N G S

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3 EXAMINER WALLACE: Pursuant to
4 the direction of the Illinois Commerce Commission, I
5 now call Docket 00-0662. This is the complaint of
6 Kayla Communications, Inc., versus Illinois Bell
7 Telephone Company, doing business as Ameritech
8 Illinois. This is a complaint pursuant to Sections
9 9-101, 9-250, 10-108, 13-514, and 13-515 of the Public
10 Utilities Act, as well as Section 252C4 of the Federal
11 Communications Act.

12 May I have appearances for the record,
13 please? For the complainant?

14 MR. DONOVAN: On behalf of the
15 complainant, Joseph E. Donovan, D-o-n-o-v-a-n, 30
16 North LaSalle, Suite 4100, Chicago, Illinois 60602.

17 EXAMINER WALLACE: And for
18 Respondent?

19 MR. KERBER: Respondent,
20 Ameritech Illinois. This is Mark Kerber, K-e-r-b-e-r,
21 225 West Randolph, HQ 29B, Chicago 60606.

22 EXAMINER WALLACE: All right.

1 Does Staff wish to enter an appearance?

2 MS. JACKSON: Yes. Cindy
3 Jackson, Illinois Commerce Commission, Consumer
4 Services division, 527 East Capitol Avenue,
5 Springfield, Illinois.

6 MS. MARSHALL: Judith Marshall,
7 Telecommunications division, Illinois Commerce
8 Commission, 527 East Capitol Avenue, Springfield,
9 Illinois.

10 EXAMINER WALLACE: Thank you.
11 Let the record reflect there are no other appearances
12 at today's hearing. We've been talking informally off
13 the record, and we've seemed to have reached agreement
14 on how to proceed in this matter. First of all, for
15 the record, the parties agree to waive the statutory
16 deadline in terms of scheduling a hearing within 30
17 days of the complaint, and Examiner's decision within
18 60 days of the complaint, and the Commission's
19 decision within 15 days following the Examiner's
20 decision. Is that correct, gentlemen?

21 MR. DONOVAN: That is correct.

22 MR. KERBER: Yes, it is, Your

1 Honor.

2 EXAMINER WALLACE: And we will
3 waive this - I guess we'll phrase it - we'll toll the
4 deadline and we will have a status hearing on November
5 the 22nd at nine-thirty, and Ameritech Illinois will
6 file an answer by November 21st. At the November 22nd
7 status hearing, we will revisit the waiver of the
8 deadlines. The parties again agree to opt to work
9 together in good faith to extend the statutory
10 deadlines sufficiently to avoid the Christmas holidays
11 and other scheduling problems, and no party will be
12 left in the lurch, so to speak, by these waivers. Are
13 we all in agreement on that?

14 MR. KERBER: Yes, Your Honor.

15 MR. DONOVAN: Yes, Your Honor.

16 EXAMINER WALLACE: Okay. Was
17 nine-thirty acceptable? We did fail to mention the
18 time while we were off the record.

19 MR. KERBER: Fine for me.

20 MR. DONOVAN: Yes, that's fine
21 for me. I do have one clarification, however, Your
22 Honor. On the 21st, if we could have on the record,

1 that the answer is due by noon for parties to review
2 prior to the status hearing.

3 MR. KERBER: And I have no
4 objection to that.

5 EXAMINER WALLACE: Okay.
6 Ameritech Illinois' answer is due by noon on November
7 21st, and do you anticipate electronic service or hand
8 delivery by noon, Mr. Kerber?

9 MR. KERBER: Yes, Your Honor.
10 Depending on what we've got in the way of an
11 attachment, it might not be available in an electronic
12 format. I will serve Mr. Donovan either by hand or
13 electronically, and I would serve Your Honor and
14 anybody from Staff, Staff counsel, or Ms. Jackson, or
15 whoever wants to be served from Staff, either by
16 e-mail or by fax, again, depending upon whether there
17 were attachments that were not available
18 electronically.

19 EXAMINER WALLACE: All right.
20 Thank you. And that sounds okay with you, Mr.
21 Donovan?

22 MR. DONOVAN: Yes.

1 EXAMINER WALLACE: Okay then.
2 Anything else anyone wishes to bring up? All right.
3 Hearing nothing, the statutory deadlines have been
4 tolled at this time. We will revisit those deadlines
5 at our November 22, 2000 status hearing. And we stand
6 adjourned until then. Thank you.

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8 (Whereupon the case was
9 continued to November 22,
10 2000, Springfield,
11 Illinois, at 9:30 a.m.)

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21 Dated at Springfield, Illinois on the 22nd
22 day of November, A.D., 2000.

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